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GEN. VILJOEN HERE TO ARRANGE FOR IT AT ST. LOUIS.

The Mexico Colonization Scheme is Dormant and the Plight of the Boers at Home Is Desperate—Bad Management and Corruption in New British Rule.

The Cunard liner Umbria reached her pier at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning, two days late. She had been held up in the Mersey twenty hours on account of fog and just after passing Daunt's Rock, outside Queenstown harbor, on Monday she ran into the heavy weather which battered the American liner New York. which got in just about twenty-four hours

Among the Umbria's passengers was Gen Ben J. Viljoen, the Boer leader and one of the most skilful fighters against the English in the Transvaal. With Gen. Viljoen was Capt. Arthur W. Lewis, an American who fought with the Canadian forces against the Boers, but who, since the war ended, as Gen. Viljoen naïvely put it, has been converted and is now a very excellent Yankee

Gen. Viljoen and Capt. Lewis are on their way to St. Louis to arrange, if possible, for what may be called a Boer war show at the St. Louis exposition. They went from the pier to the Hoffman House and will probably go on to St. Louis to-day.

To a SUN reporter Gen. Viljoen talked of the trip over, of the condition of the Boers in South Africa, of the scheme to establish a Boer colony in Mexico and of his plans for the St. Louis exposition. He

"I thought I was a pretty tough customer, but the weather we had coming over was too strenuous formy fibre and I was most horribly and disgustingly seasick during a great part of the trip. The storm hit us on Monday, when we were hardly more than outside Queenstown, and we didn't get any decent, respectable weather until the following Wednesday. If you will look at one of the saloon doors, you will find in one panel a considerable crack. That hows how far inside the ship the weather

"Things were turned pretty generally opsy-turvy. Incidentally, the Cunard ompany will have to buy itself, for the mbria's use, between thirty and forty ew steamer chairs to replace those shed overboard on Tuesday. One of he lifeboats was so battered that it will heed extensive repairs, and on Tuesday, Third Officer Moulten and three or four seamen, while at work on the sun deck were so badly knocked about that all of them were more or less injured. One of the sailors, I think, had one or two ribs broken. At any rate, he has a fully developed case of pneumonia and is in the ship's hospital. One of the women, Mrs. Charles Bradford, was also slightly injured.

"After Wednesday, though, we left the bad weather behind us, and, while the winds were pretty stiff, we had a comparatively pleasant voyage.

"My business in this country is primarily to arrange for a Boer exhibit at the St. Louis exposition. It is purely a business enterprise, undertaken for the profit there is in it, and, while no definite plan has been made for the expenditure of the profits if there are any, it is probable that a part or all of them will be used to aid my countrymen on the yeldt, who are really in a deplorable condition.

"While the scheme originated with me an American of considerable prominence hose name I am not at liberty to divulge present, is really the big man in it. He is spent much time in England and is now in South Africa. To put the enterprise through, a company has been organized with a paper capital of £50,000. We hope to nterest other Americans in the scheme, and if we do, and can make suitable arrangements with the people at St. Louis, the thing will go through.

on the order of Col. Cody's Wild West Show except that we shall endeavor to be more historical than is the Wild West performance. Generally speaking, our scheme involves the fighting over again within the exposition grounds of some of the principal battles of the Boer war. We shall have 700 or 800 persons take part, if we have any at all, and among them will be some of the most prominent Generals in the Boer Army, including Gens. Cronje and Kemp, and Majors Scott Harden and Charles Ross. don't want to mention other names at esent, because with our scheme in so obvyonic a state I fear the news of what

embryonic a state I fear the news of what we intend to do would get back home in so garbled a form that some of my people might be scared out.

"Regarding the Boer colonization scheme in Mexico, I wish I could give you more favorable news; but the fact is that, up to this time, practically nothing has come of it. Originally we had a concession of \$5.000 acres of land near the city of Chihuahua, and the Mexican Government was to pay the cost of transportation from South Africa to Mexico of as many Boers as could be induced to come over. When it came time to provide the transportation there was none for us. Of course the Boers have no money to pay their own transportation, and so that enterprise fell through.

"More recently an enterprise has been

More recently an enterprise has been undertaken which may produce better results. A Boer emigration society has been formed, to which the Mexican Govbeen formed, to which the Mexican Government has granted a concession of 2,000,000 acres of land in the vicinity of the city of Guerrero. It is the plan of the company to raise money enough by the sale of its shares to pay the transportation of enough Boers to put the land under proper cultivation. You know we Boers are natural farmers, and if we can live in peace, with a reasonable amount of liberty and till our acres, we are contented and and till our acres, we are contented and

happy.

The land included in the new concession wall wooded. To "The land included in the new concession is extremely fertile and well wooded. To those of us who have looked into the matter it has seemed that the emigration society can do a good work for the Boers and at the same time pay reasonable dividends from the cultivation of this concession and the selling of the timber thereon. I cannot say anything at reasont regarding the persay anything at reasont regarding the persay anything at present regarding the personnel of the men who have interested themselves in this scheme. Neither can I tell how many of my countrymen could be induced to settle in Mexico, but I do know that 3,000 or 4,000 of them need better homes than they have at present.

We are in a bad way in the Transvaal.

"We are in a bad way in the Transvaal. The last two crops failed and now we are not only without money, but without much food. The work of what might be called repatriation is going on, but slowly. The British are not unduly oppressive, but it must never be forgotten that this repatriation is that of the conquered by the conation is that of the conquered by the con-querors. And the conquered were the sovereigns of the land, so the repatriation is really a question of reducing sovereigns to vassals. Under most favorable con-ditions, such a work must make haste

Capt. Lewis, who was the only American citizen to receive a British conmission in the South African war, is confident that the oceeds of the military spectacle at St. Louis will be great enough to yield a sur-plus of \$300,000 or so for the relief of the

distressed Boers.
"They need that," he said, "and a great deal more. The \$15,000,000 appropriated by the British Government has been altoby the British Government has been alto-gether inadequate, largely because of the inefficient and costly manner of its dis-tribution. One case will illustrate. To distribute £92,000 worth of food and farm supplies cost £88,000 for the mere machinery of distribution. "The government which Great Britain has given to the Transvaal and the Orange Free State is incompetent and corrupt.

Every goggle-eyed university man whose father has any influence is sent from coilege to South Africa, where a Government place is made for him regardless of his fitness. The important departments of mines, railways, law and agriculture are all in the hands of incompetents who know nothing of local conditions while the men who could give the country a wise adminis-

the hands of incompetents who know nothing of local conditions while the men who could give the country a wise administration are in idleness.

"To help the burghers help themselves in spite of these adverse conditions is one of the motives which the military spectacular syndicate of Pretoria has for having this performance at St. Louis. We will reproduce two battles, the Boer victory at Colenso on Dec. 15, 1899, when Lord Roberts's son was killed and the British artillery lost all their guns, and the British victory of Feb. 28, 1900, at Paardeberg, where Gen. Cronje surrendered. A victory from each side was selected so that the performance would not cause any bitterness between the British and the Boers.

"It is planned to have two performances a day in an ampitheatre which will seat 15,000 spectators. The cost of production from May to October will be \$300,000. Much of the capital stock has been sold in Pretoria. We hope to dispose of the rest of it in St. Louis. Sir Isaac Van Alphen, Postmaster-General of the late South African Republic, is the chairman of the board of directors of the syndicate."

Capt. Lewis is a native of Missouri. He went to South Africa seven years ago and was an officer of one of the mining companies when the war broke out. He enlisted as a British trooper, was promoted for bravery and retired with the rank of Captain.

This trip of the Umbria was made more

listed as a British trooper, was promoted for bravery and retired with the rank of Captain.

This trip of the Umbria was made more memorable than usual owing to the fact that when it ended, the ship's commander, Capt. Thomas Dutton, completed his last westward passage in the service of the Cunard company, after sailing the seas in their employ for nearly forty years. Capt. Dutton is as hale and hearty as the ablest seaman, although he has reached the Cunard company's age limit of 63. When the the Umbria returns to Liverpool he will retire from the company's service and settle down to the life of an ordinary land-lubber. He entered the Cunard service in 1871 as a junior officer on the Sidon. His first command was the Baltic, which he got in 1880. Since then he has commanded the British Queen, Atlas, Marathon, Batavia, Demerara, Tarifa, Sumaria, Lucania and Servia.

Other passengers on the Umbria were:

cania and Servia.
Other passengers on the Umbria were: Mother Mary Agnes, an abbess of the Order of St. Francis, and Sister M. Frances de Sales of the same order; Señor Rafael Montoro, Cuban Minister to England, and Señor Corlai Montoro; William T. Hollingsworth, Alexander Forbes, J. W. Bernard Wright, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Wynkoop and the Misses Doris and Ruth Wynkoop.

Among the second cabin passengers was the Rev. H. E. Cantel, a Dowie evangelist, who has been trying to make converts to who has been trying to make converts to Dowie and citizens for Zion City in England in the last year or two.

THE. ALLEN'S MEN INDICTED. for John Brown Clubmen.

The thirteen men who were arrested in the raids on The. Allen's place at 80 Sixth avenue, and the John Brown Club at 137 Macdougal street, on Dec. 8, were arrested at the door of the chambers of Justice Olmsted, of the Court of Special Sessions, yesterday afternoon. They were indicted by the Grand Jury in the morning, and bench warrants, issued by Judge Newburger of the Court of General Sessions. were turned over to Capt. Hogan and Detective Sergeants Rafsky and Soppe, who waited outside Justice Olmsted's door until 3 o'clock in the afternoon, which was the hour set for the preliminary examina-

the hour set for the preliminary examination.

Justice Olmsted, on learning of the indictment of the men, dismissed the cases before him and ordered that the thirteen be taken before Judge Newburger, where Patrick Egan of 65 East Eighth street, gave \$1,000 bail for each of the seven taken from Allen's place. The six who were arrested in the Macdougal street resort were not able to give bail, and Judge Newburger suggested that Capt. Hogan defer their arrest until to-morrow.

Capt. Hogan objected and Judge Newburger told the prisoners that he would be at the Democratic Club during the evening in case they found a bondsman.

Five of them showed up there last night with a bondsman and Judge Newburger accepted him as surety.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

Sun rises......7:18 Sun sets....4:34 Moon rises...5:51 HIGH WATER-THIS DAY. Sandy Hook . 5:31 Gov. I'd . . . 6:03 Hell Gate . . . 7:56

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Ss City of Wash ington, Colon, Dec. 8.
Ss Zuba, Ponce, Dec. 9.
Ss Alleghany, Kingston, Nov. 26.
Ss Condor, New Orleans, Dac. 7.
Ss Monroe, Norfolk, Dec. 14.
Ss Huron, Jacksonville, Dec. 11.
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MABEL PARKER'S OWN STORY.

CONFESSED FORGERIES, SHE SAYS, TO SHIELD HUSBAND.

Declares That Peabody, Posing as a Crook Didn't Long Deceive Her-Insists That She's Convent Bred-Once Arrested but for What She Doesn't Know

imes tearfully appealing, Mabel Parker talked for three hours vesterday to the jury which is trying her before Judge Cowing

in the Court of General Sessions. Some of the color has gone from her cheeks since her case was begun, but she still keeps her good humor. She devoted herself while she was not on the witness stand yesterday to making pictures of Assistant District Attorney Train, who has been prosecuting her. Several agents of illustrated newspapers made application to her for the privilege of reproducing these portraits, but on the advice of her lawyer the drawings were destroyed.

Mabel said that she was 21 years old Her maiden name was Mabel Worthington. She never knew her father. When she was eighteen months old she was adopted by F. J. Preece and his wife of Minneapolis They brought her up. She attended a convent in Minneapolis until she was 14 years old, when she came to this city and entered the Ursuline Convent at Bedford Park. She left the convent in September, 1898. Mabel said that she married James Par ker in June, 1898. She lived with him until he was arrested and was sent to Elmira for twenty-three months. She always be-

The woman's counsel, Charles L. Le Barbier, handed her the check which she is charged with forging and uttering. "Have you ever seen that before?" he

lieved that he had made his living as a gam-

bler. While he was at Elmira she lived

away from New York at the expense of the

"Yes," she replied, "but only as one of the exhibits at this trial here.' "Is the name Alice Kauser [the signature

of the check] in your handwriting?" he "No," she said, "it is not.

Then she told how Detective Peabody of the Central Office had come to her and had told her that he was a thief who had been locked in the same cell with her husbeen locked in the same cell with her husband, Jim Parker, at Police Headquarters.

She said that she believed the detective, who described himself as "Billy the Crook," when he said that Jim was suffering for morphine. She consented to go with "Billy the Crook" to Police Headquarters. She gave the doorman at Headquarters \$10 when she handed him the morphine package, she said.

She said that after the Headquarters visit she recognized Peabody as a detective, and told how he took her to a Broadway restaurant for luncheon, and how his side-

restaurant for luncheon, and how his side restaurant for functions, and now his side-partner, Clark, spied upon them at lunch.

She said that Peabody told her that if it could be proved that Jim didn't forge the checks Jim would be turned loose.

Peabody said, according to Mabel:

"I don't believe that Jim forged that

check."
"And I said," the witness went on, "I "And I said, the withess and don't either."

"Well if he didn't," asked Peabody, according to her testimony, "who did?"

"I did," she replied.

"Why did you say that?" asked Mr.

Le Barbier.

"Because I thought it would let Jim out,"
abe replied. "and I knew I could prove I

"Because I thought it would let Jim out," she replied, "and I knew I could prove I didn't do it, and I knew he was a detective."

Mr. Train, cross examining, tried to show that Mrs. Parker had been arrested for shoplifting in Buffalo. She denied it. She said that her husband's original name was Singley, and that when she learned that he had changed his name to Parker, she changed too. She denied that she had ever had a lot of blank checks and checkbooks in her room, as her boarding house landlady testified. She said that she had not used morphine, herself.

morphine, herself.

"Wuy didn't you tell Detective Peabody that you suspected him of being a detective?"

"Because I thought that it would hurt Jim's chance of getting out," said Mabel, cally by the said Mabel, and the said was a s

calmly.

She said that she got part of the money, some \$500, which she had when arrested from the Preeces. She said that there was \$560 in the roll when she was arrested though the policeman only turned in \$500. She said that she never tried to pass a check on the Shoe and Leather Bank, never was in the bank and didn't know where it was

She went farther and said that she had never signed any check in her life. Assistant District Attorney Train named Assistant District Attorney Train named a number of Tenderloin resorts and asked the witness if she had ever been in them. She said, with due show of modest indignation that she had been in several of these places, but always "with my husband."

Mr. Train asked if she were not arrested once in the Bohemia. She said not. She was arrested at Broadway and Twentyninth street, she said.

"Why were you arrested?" Mr. Train asked.

asked.

"I was never able to find out," said Mabel.
Mr. Train desisted.
Mr. Le Barbier summed up. Mr. Train
will sum up this morning. and the case
will go to the jury. Mr. Le Barbier spent
most of his time discounting the testimony
of Expert Carvalho, dwelling on Jim Parker's confession of Mabel's alleged forgeries, and lauding Mabel's innocence
and inexperience of this wicked world.

MILLER AND AMMON HAVE A BOUT

Lawyer-Convict Fails to Get Any New Evidence Out of His Former Client.

William F. Miller of Franklin Syndicate fame and his former counsel, Col. Robert A. Ammon, who is now serving a four years term of imprisonment in Sing Sing, faced each other in the Federal Building in Brookeach other in the Federal Building in Brook-lyn yesterday. Miller and Ammon had been brought to the court room to attend a hearing before Referee in Bankruptcy Robert F. Tilney. Ammon had secured a writ of habeas corpus to have Miller and himself appear before the referee on the statement that he had discovered additional assets of the defunct 520 per cent. get-rich quick concern. Ammon is serving a term quick concern. Ammon is serving a term of imprisonment for receiving \$140,000 of the Miller syndicate funds knowing the

money to be stolen. money to be stolen.

Miller took the stand and Ammon plied him with questions concerning the defunct syndicate. Miller answered nearly every question by saying that he had "already testified to that," and his counsel insisted that they were there to get new evidence and not to have the old testimony repeated. and not to have the old testimony repeated.

Ammon affirmed that he was still Miller's counsel, as he had never been discharged, and that outside of Miller no one was more conversant with the facts under discussion than himself. Counsel for Miller said that if Ammon wanted to testify to anything new he should take the stand and tell all the facts. Ammon said that he wanted the facts to come from Miller. Miller contended that Ammon was endeavoring to get evidence upon which he could base an application for a new trial. He said that neither Ammon nor any one else could get or discover any additional assets.

Miller testified to having paid his former counsel, ex-Congressman Edmund H. Driggs, \$2,450, and that he had given to his mother \$2,100. Mrs. Miller testified that most of the money she had received from her son was used for his wife and child and in paying expenses to Albany in his behalf.

No new facts were brought out in the

behalf.

No new facts were brought out in the testimony yesterday and a further hearing will be had on Dec. 29.

Republican Women at Blackwell's Island. Twenty-five members of the Women's Republican Club visited Blackwell's and Randall's islands yesterday, and inspected the institutions of the Department of Char-ities, under the guidance of Willard Ellison, secretary to Commissioner Homer Folks



"Force-thoughts"

THE aristocrats of ancient Rome were called Optimates, from "optimus," which means "best," From this word also came a school of philosophers known as Optimists, which is still in existence. An Optimist believed that this was the best kind of a sunny old world, and that it was well to be in tune with it. Another school of philosophers were the Pessimists, from "pessimus," which means "worst." That was the view they took of things. Somebody said a Pessimist was a man who had lived a month with an optimist-but in reality a Pessimist is usually an Optimist who eats wrong. I Sometimes he is starving to

death for lack of nourishment -starving on rich, fatty foods full of nutriment that he can't digest, which is the worst form of starvation conceivable and enough to make anybody pes-I "FORCE" is an antidote for

pessimism. "Optimus" is the word that goes naturally with this food I make. It is Best. Best for mentality and muscle. Best for nerves and temperament (a vital organ that needs right food as much as any other). It is Best in digestibility and savor.

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NO JOB FOR THIS DOMINICAN

MORALES'S RELATION ACCRED-ITED TO A NOT-YET CONSUL,

And Sees His 850 a Month Threatening to Evaporate With Morales's Reign -Cynic Says All the Revolutions Are Advertised as Jiminez Benefits.

Emilio Villalon of Santo Domingo loves his country, but he thinks it's careless. He was sent here as secretary to the man who it was hoped would be the Dominican Consul by the time the ship got in. But the ship, which arrived on Sunday, was ten days on the voyage, and in that time there were two little revolutions on the side and Morales had not yet been recognized by this country. He was still President last night, so far as is known.

Villalon, who is only 18 years old, is diplomatically stranded and has run to he says that a revolution has broken out shelter in a Fourteenth street hotel where revolutions in Santo Domingo are supposed to be hatched to order. He may have to hatch a revolution himself to get that job as secretary. It pays \$50 a month.

Villalon's credentials from the Morales dynasty—of which he is the brother-in-law—were addressed to Señor Joseph St. Pierre Giordani, Consul-General of Santo Domingo in New York. But Giordani isn't Consul-General. He hoped to be as soon as the Government of Wos y Gil was overthrown by Morales. But, as was said, the United States Government hasn't recognized the Morales Government.

ognized the Morales Government.
Señor Manuel de J. Galvan was sent here
as Consul-General by Was y Gil, and is
still in office, and therefore the merchants still in office, and therefore the merchants doing business with ports in the Republica Dominicana, (which is the official designation adopted by Santo Dominigo) all go to Galvan to have their invoices signed.

Young Mr. Villalon went to Giordani yesterday morning and reported that he was ready to go to work. He showed his credentials. Mr. Giordani told him in polite Spanish that there was nothing doing. Then Villalon went to Consul-General Galvan, who remarked that he already had a secretary and that the credentials were not addressed to him.

Mr. Villalon went back to the Fourteenth street hotel to think.

He wears a rose on his coat and had roses in his room, and he was or was not pulling a rose to pieces and repeating slowly, as he removed the petals, "Jiminez, Morales, Wos y Gil; Jiminez, Morales, Wos y Gil." There are enough factions in the Span-ish-American hotel on Fourteenth street to have a little revolution right there. All the guests are not sorry for Villalon, because

some of them don't like his brother-in-law, Morales. "Morales," said a Fourteenth street "Morales," said a Fourteenth street supporter of Jiminez, "is a priest who left the priesthood to marry. Then he became a politician and started a revolution for Jiminez. They all say at the start that they do it for Jiminez. Jiminez is like an orphan asylum in this country. Everybody advertises benefit peformances for him. Jiminez is popular, and almost everybody in Santo Domingo is willing to fight for him, but he won't fight hard enough for himself when the crisis comes, so he never arrives. The other patriots, like Morales, for himself when the crisis comes, so he never arrives. The other patriots, like Moralos, know that, start a revolution in Jiminez's name to make it popular, and then grab the Government for themselves. That's what Morales has done, but he won't last. There'll be three or four Presidents and governments before the election in February, and Wos y Gil may come back."

SERIOUS DOMINICAN REVOLT. Consul Simpson Says the Whole Province

of Santiago Is Aroused. WASHINGTON, Dec. 15 .- The State Department has received a message from partment has received a message from court held the Thomas Simpson, United States Consul at of \$1,000 bail.

Aéolian Hall

EVERY one contemplating the purchase of a piano for Christmas will do well to visit the new Weber salesrooms in Aeolian Hall.

The exhibition of

WEBER PIANOS

is remarkably complete, embracing specimens in all the choice woods; Mahogany in the various shades, Satin-wood, Prima Vera, Birch, English Oak, American quartered Oak, Rosewood, English Burl Walnut, and White Enamel.

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of a serious nature. Heyburn Wants Santo Domingo.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15 .- Mr. Heyburn, (Rep., Idaho) introduced a resolution in the Senate to-day requesting the President to acquire by annexation or otherwise the Island of Santo Domingo. The resolution recites that the governments of Santo Domingo and Hayti are unstable and a menace to civilization, and that the island is desirable as standing in the sea road to Panama.

SHOT TWO WITH ONE BULLET. Saloonkeeper Says He Fired to Protect

Himself From a Glass Thrower. In a shooting affray in the saloon at 258 Spring street, yesterday afternoon, David M. Mahoney of 11 Vandam street, the proprietor, shot James Meade of 159 Varick

prietor, shot James Meade of 159 Varick street through the hand, and John Cunningham of 340 Hudson street through the wrist. The same bullet wounded both. Mahoney does not deny the shooting, but says that Meade came in with the intention of cleaning out the place, and was slinging beer glasses at him faster than he could dodge when he shot in self-defence.

In the Jefferson Market police court Magistrate Cornell held Mahoney in \$1,000 and Meade in \$500 bail for examination next Tuesday. Cunningham, who was wounded by accident after the bullet passed through Meade's hand, is in St. Vincent's Hospital, but will be able to appear on Thursday. A .48-calibre revolver nearly a foot long was produced as the weapon with which Mahoney did the shooting.

Lawyer Thomas H. Smith, who appeared for the defence, said that there had been trouble between Meade and Mahoney's bartender.

DOCTOR CHASED BY TWO MEN. Caught, They Sald They Were Only Playing a Joke-Held in \$1,000.

Dr. Louis Adlerman, while returning to his home at 400 Rockaway avenue, Brooklyn, early yesterday morning from a sick call, was chased several blocks by two supposed highwaymen. A stranger responded to his cries for help and Dr. Adlerman grabbed his pursuers and with the aid of the stranger landed them in the Brownsville police sta-tion. The prisoners, who said they were Stephen Kotkofsky, 27 years old, and Baslanded them in the Brownsville police sta-tion. The prisoners, who said they were Stephen Kotkofsky, 27 years old, and Bas-sine Comolish, 35 years old, explained that they were only playing a joke on the doctor. Magistrate Furlong in the Gates avenue court held them for examination in default of \$1000 bail.

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HELENA, Mont., Dec. 15 .- Gov. Toole has granted an unconditional pardon to Camille Peres, who was serving a five year sentence for criminal assault on Adrienne Baque, a fifteen-vear-old French girl. A short time ago the girl returned to France, and wrote to Gov. Toole that she gave perjured testimony against Peres. She said she was soon to be married and wanted to right the wrong she had done an innocent

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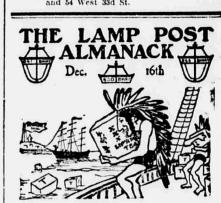
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